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Title	IMAGE DATA BASED RETROSPECTIVE TEMPORAL SELECTION OF MEDICAL IMAGES		

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provision of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the Office Action mailed May 5, 2004, said period of response being extended from August 5, 2004 to November 5, 2004.

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